

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) Venkitaraman, et al. GROUP ART UNIT: 2616  
APPLN. NO.: 10/083,890 EXAMINER: Kevin C. Harper  
FILED: February 27, 2002 Confirmation No.: 2114  
TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING IP MOBILITY FOR  
MOBILE NETWORKS AND DETACHABLE MOBILE NETWORK  
NODES

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND PRIOR TO APPEAL**  
**UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed November 10, 2008, concerning the above-identified application. A Petition for Extension of Time to respond, with fee authorization, is submitted concurrently herewith. This reply is provided in response to the Office Action in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.116. Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Action and to allow the claims to issue.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.